

NASA Ames celebrates Earth Day



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Earth Day booths at the Mega Bites cafe where Ames representatives answered questions about the Center's recycling and other programs.

On April 21, the Ames Environmental Services Division hosted the Earth Day event at the Mega Bites Cafe. Here one could find information about the ways in which NASA Ames is moving toward more sustainable operations.

Ames representatives were on hand to answer questions about the Center's new recycling program, onsite drinking water, its environmental management system, Ames' wildlife and much more.

Entries in the Earth Day photo contest were displayed and winners were selected by participant votes. Visit the Web at <http://q.arc.nasa.gov/qe/events/ED/ED2005/> to see the submitted photographs and winning photos.

In celebration of Earth Day 2005, Christopher Alderete, a wildlife biologist at NASA Ames, led three interpretive nature walks to showcase Ames unique wildlife, including the different avian species and the western pond turtle.



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Canada geese at Ames seen during the nature walks held on Earth Day.



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Nature walks held at Ames during Earth Day.

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